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Attn: Public Service Rockett
 #2011-271-E

My husband is a WWII veteran without any compensation from the government. Which means we are solely dependent on our Social Security! Have you ever tried living on a meager \$1300⁰⁰ a month?

Please stop this ridiculous rate hike - 17%!!
 And please do not merge with Progress Energy
 which will hurt us even more!

Thank you for your kindness and consideration,

William & Jerna Ring